

PROMINENT MEN IN ATTENDANCE

Fifth Annual Meeting of National Civic Federation in New York.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT

GOVERNMENT BY INJUNCTION DISCUSSED.

New York, Dec. 12.—With well-nigh 250 persons in attendance, including some of the best known men in all walks of life, the National Civic Federation began its fifth annual meeting today in Park Avenue hotel. Among those present were: Andrew Carnegie, Cornelius N. Bliss, Oscar Straus, Nicholas Murray Butler, Archbishop Ireland, Bishop Potter, ex-Governor David R. Francis, Henry Phipps, Clarence H. Mackay, Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell, the Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden, Clarke Howell and James Speyer.

August Belmont, president of the federation, in his opening address urged the appointment of a committee to investigate the problems growing out of the accumulation of great fortunes. This subject will be considered tomorrow.

"No subject can bring greater good to this country if correctly solved," said he, "or greater harm if for wise and just taxation, punitive spoliation and the destruction of our boundless spirit of enterprise through hampering regulations be substituted."

Government by Injunction.

Government by injunction was characterized by Mr. Belmont as "another burning subject to be discussed." He said he was not sure that President Roosevelt's proposition for compulsory investigation of industrial disturbances is advisable. He doubted the wisdom of government interference, but the great justification for such a policy would be in the case of quasi public corporations.

Mr. Belmont also called attention to that portion of President Roosevelt's message wherein the president denounced the effort to prohibit all combination of capital.

Organized Labor Views.

The federation then took up the government by injunction question. Carl Spelling, general attorney for the American Federation of Labor, said today in labor disputes judges have sent forth decrees which were special legislation, and have paralyzed and rendered abortive all the efforts on the part of the labor side of that dispute. An injunction, he said, should never be granted except to protect property or property rights.

It was deplorable, said Mr. Spelling, that men should be advised to commit crimes, but more deplorable if irresponsible men on the bench are to be allowed to "usurp authority above the law and become unrestrained despots; to take one side in every trade dispute, to decide private thousands and thousands of men are about to violate the law, and send out these special decrees to paralyze and destroy the rights of all these men.

Tendency Is Dangerous.

That is the most dangerous tendency in our government. If these vicious and far-reaching precedents are to be recognized or permitted to go on building more on top of these they will soon constitute and erect a power as despotic as that which destroyed Rome.

He declared that it was seldom strikers ever resort to actual violence, but that they frequently appoint committees to help the police preserve the peace.

The speaker said the peace bill which is before congress embodies the proper and legitimate demands of organized labor.

Walter Drew, commissioner of the National Iron Erectors' association, in replying to Mr. Spelling, declared that the latter's argument was fallacious in that it went to prove that injunctions would not issue in any case while he sought to prove that they should issue to protect nothing but purely physical property and physical property rights.

Samuel McCutcheon, secretary of the national child labor committee, said the Beveridge-Parsons bill recently introduced in congress for a national child labor law would cut the heart out of the child labor evil at a single blow.

A resolution was adopted providing that the presidents of the national association of manufacturers, the American Federation of Labor, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the National Education association, the American Economic association, the National Conference of Charities and the National Child Labor committee, be invited to name seven members to act with a committee of the National Civic Federation as a committee to make a thorough investigation of the whole subject of child labor in the United States.

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GILLETTE TAKEN TO AUBURN

Mother of Condemned Murderer Becomes Hysterical When Time for Parting Came.

Herkimer, N. Y., Chester E. Gillette was taken from the jail today by Sheriff Klock and a deputy and started for Auburn state prison at noon. While waiting at the railroad station Gillette was surrounded by a crowd.

Mrs. Gillette consented to remain behind to avoid possible scenes on the way, and she was promised that she might visit her son tomorrow. She will go to Auburn tonight.

Mrs. Gillette had a farewell breakfast with Chester in his cell, and just at the close of the visit the mother became hysterical.

"I can stand it no longer," she shouted, and a guard led her to another part of the jail.

An hour later she went back to her son's cell and bade him farewell.

VOTE AGAINST BONAPARTE

Some Opposition Also to Confirmation of Secretary Moody Is Developed in Senate.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The senate today confirmed the nominations of William H. Moody of Massachusetts to be an associate justice of the supreme court of the United States; Charles J. Bonaparte of Maryland to be attorney general; Victor H. Metcalf of California to be secretary of the navy, and Oscar S. Straus of New York to be secretary of commerce.

The opposition to Messrs. Moody and Bonaparte, which has been raised in the senate by a number of Democratic senators, was not strongly pressed at the session today, and no roll call was asked for. On the viva voce vote for Mr. Bonaparte, however, there were a number of negative votes on the minority side, estimated at about fifteen.

Senators Culbertson and Carnack led the discussion against both Mr. Moody and Mr. Bonaparte. There was no opposition to either Mr. Metcalf or Mr. Straus.

LITTLE ONES DID WELL.

"Witch of the Woods" Presented at Rexburg, Ida.

(Special to The Herald.)

Rexburg, Ida., Dec. 12.—The extravaganza "The Witch of the Woods" was presented here Monday night and also on Saturday night. There were over 200 local young people in the cast. The opera house was crowded both nights. The young people were trained and directed by Mrs. Harriet Purdy Smith of Chicago. The entire management was handled by the auspices of the local Sunday schools, and was managed by Arthur Porter, jr., superintendent of the First ward Sunday school. The young people took their parts well and much credit is due Mrs. Smith for the able training which she gave the large cast.

Her work and their own efforts of the students were highly commended by all who attended the rendition of the performance.

"I am a 2-week-old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beckstead died last Saturday and was buried on Sunday from the Rexburg funeral home. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Beckstead in the loss of their little one.

J. W. Roylance and Miss Nellie Fogz, both of Rexburg, will be married in the Logan temple on Wednesday. Both young people are well known and their friends extend to them their best wishes and congratulations.

A new floor being put down in the Commercial club hall. When completed it will be one of the finest dancing floors in the state.

The M. L. A. of the First ward is preparing to give a grand "Dutch" dance and supper in Woodvine's hall, Friday, Dec. 14.

A series of lectures will be given this winter in local ward meeting houses every Thursday night. The course is given under the auspices of the mission class at the Ricks academy. The lecturer is Professor Ezra Christianson, principal of the academy. There will be fifteen lectures in all, dealing with the doctrines of the Latter-day Saints and other general topics. The first lecture of the course was given last Thursday night. The subject was "Life by Faith." Professor Christianson is one of the ablest speakers in the state and a great deal of interest is manifested in the lectures.

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VERDICT OF GUILTY.

Jury Cinches President of the Omaha Coal Exchange.

Omaha, Dec. 12.—After being out two days the jury in the case of E. E. Howell, president of the Omaha Coal Exchange, charged in company with seventy-nine other members, with maintaining a trust, in violation of the state law, returned a verdict of guilty this morning. The case will be appealed. This is the first trial under the new anti-trust law which includes practically every coal firm in the city. The court has indicated the intention of trying each defendant separately and the next case will be called Monday.

Sixty Years' Experience of an Old Nurse.

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HARTJE ROSES DIVORCE SUIT

Court Makes No Reference to Alimony in the Decision -- Handed Down

APPEAL IS DECIDED UPON

MOTHER GETS CUSTODY OF CHILDREN.

Pittsburg, Dec. 12.—The famous divorce case brought by Augustus Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer, against his wife, Mary Scott Hartje, in which he named Coachman Thomas Madine as co-respondent, was today decided in favor of Mrs. Hartje.

Judge Frazer denied the petition of the complainant, but makes no reference to the question of alimony. The children are to remain in the custody of Mrs. Hartje until a further order of court. The court costs must be paid by Hartje.

Hartje Will Appeal.

Hartje's counsel announced the case will be appealed. The case aroused public interest all over the country. Hearing of the testimony took nearly five weeks. The trouble centered in the production of a series of letters alleged to have been written by the wife to Thomas Madine, the coachman of the family. For five days handwritten letters gave their opinion on the authenticity of these letters.

During the trial, Mr. Hartje and John S. Welshons, his friend, together with Clifford Hooe, colored, a former coachman of Hartje's, were arrested on charges of conspiracy. Hooe was also charged with perjury.

A separate suit brought by Mrs. Hartje for temporary alimony, \$1000 a month and \$20,000 expenses incurred during the trial, is still pending.

Mrs. Hartje Ill.

Mrs. Hartje was not able to be in court today on account of illness. With her two children she returned to Pittsburg from California yesterday and while en route home contracted a severe cold. Her mother, Mrs. Scott, denied the report that Mrs. Hartje would take up her residence in California permanently after the close of the divorce proceedings.

"Mary has no intention of leaving Pittsburg," she said. "Of course the publicity is disagreeable, but she has many true friends here and has not suffered from the sensational charges."

When informed of the decision, Mrs. Hartje, the libellant, said:

"Well, that is not the finish. I will appeal the decision and carry it to the bitter end. My conscience is clear. I have done no wrong."

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A Western Wonder.

There's a Hill at Bowie, Tex., that's twice as big as last year. This wonder is W. L. Hill, who from a weight of 90 pounds has grown to over 180. He says: "I suffered with a terrible cough, and doctors gave me up to die of consumption. I was reduced to 90 pounds, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Now, after taking 12 bottles, I have more than doubled my weight and am completely cured." Only one Cough and Cold cure. Guaranteed by Z. C. M. 1, drug department. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Basket ball Saturday night, Dec. 15. D. Y. C. League vs. F. M. C. A. first. Granite State high school vs. F. M. C. A. second. 8 p. m. Admission 25c.

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WILL OBEY PRESIDENT.

House Committee to Formulate Bill to Lease Coal Lands.

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—On Monday next the public lands committee of the house will commence holding a series of hearings upon that portion of the president's message which recommended that laws relating to the disposition of public coal lands be changed so as to lease instead of sell them. The opinions of all who have an interest in the subject would be invited by the committee, which will probably make an effort to formulate legislation in line with the president's recommendations and the wishes of western people as they may be shown by the testimony given on the subject.

The question of alleged fraud in the acquisition of coal lands which has been exploited recently will not be taken up by the committee excepting as it may be referred to in the testimony of those who may offer suggestions on the general subject of coal lands legislation.

The committee today reported favorably the Mondell resolution calling upon the secretary of the interior to furnish congress with a statement of the acreage of coal lands withdrawn recently from public entry, together with the location of such lands.

UNION LUMBER CO. ESCAPES.

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—In reporting a fire in the lumber district on Dec. 6 it was erroneously stated that the Union Lumber company, of this city, suffered a severe loss. While the yards of the Union Lumber company were threatened, the fire did not reach them and the company suffered no loss whatever.

REPORT MONDELL RESOLUTION.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The house committee on public lands decided today to make a favorable report on the Mondell resolution providing that the secretary of the interior shall make a full report to congress of all public lands withdrawn from entry since July 1, 1906.

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WOMAN STILL PURSUES HIM

French Woman Insists on Marrying Arizona Miner, Who Escapes on Foot.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The Chronicle today says:

The story of a man who has traveled half way around the world and most of the distance on foot to escape the wife of a woman who, he asserts, has matrimonial aspirations in which he figures as the prospective husband, was unfolded to the Chicago police yesterday. The tale, in which a flight from the United States to Germany and back to this country again, was included, was related by John Novatine, half owner of a gold mine near Prescott, Ariz.

Novatine arrived in Chicago with but 15 cents in his pocket, after having walked all but seven miles of the distance from New York.

Novatine, who is now 65 years old, first came to the United States in 1891, and immediately took to the gold fields of Arizona, where he asserts he later acquired a half interest in one of the largest mines in that section. Then, according to his story, he returned to Austria, where he recounted his good fortune to relatives and friends. Again he came to the United States, but upon second return to his native country Novatine's love affair began, as he also his subsequent financial misfortunes.

"I was in a cafe in Paris one night," he said yesterday, "when I made the acquaintance of a young woman—a widow who had been married to a man who was dead. I fell in love with her, and she wanted to know exactly how much money I was worth. Then she suddenly proposed marriage. I was surprised at the offer, but she insisted, 'I will marry you, whether you like it or not,' she said, 'but I decided right there that there would be no marriage, so I left.'"

The miner then told of his flight through various European countries and of the pursuit of the widow. Finally he embarked on an American-bound steamer and arrived in New York last October. The day after landing he learned for the first time, he says, that other persons interested in his mine had defrauded him out of his share and had sold the property to the corporation.

The once wealthy and much sought after man passed the night on a cot at a cheap lodging house, he says, and he will resume his long walk to Arizona, where he will seek to regain possession of his mine.

Christmas Furs.

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CURZON IS NOT COMING.

Will Not Be English Ambassador to United States.

New York, Dec. 12.—Lord Curzon of Kedleston, formerly viceroy of India, will not be the next British ambassador to America, according to a statement made today by his brother-in-law, the Earl of Suffolk, who called for Europe on the steamer Celtic. The Earl and Lady Suffolk came over with Lord Curzon several weeks ago. Just before the Celtic sailed today the earl said in reply to a question:

"You may say for me that there is absolutely no chance of Lord Curzon coming to America as ambassador for England, for he told me so himself."

WANT POSTAL SAVINGS BANK.

Washington, Dec. 12.—A petition for the establishment of postal savings banks, bearing the names of nearly 60,000 people, was presented to congress today by Representative Boutwell, of Illinois.

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UTES ARE IN DIRE STRAITS

Military Secretary Authorizes Expenditure of \$5,000 for Immediate Necessities.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Major General Greely today telegraphed the military secretary in reference to published reports of the pitiable condition of the Ute Indians at Fort Meade, who recently endeavored to escape from their own reservation to the Crow reservation. General Greely says the Indians need clothing, blankets, shoes and forage for their livestock. He believed some assistance should be extended and asked permission to spend \$5,000, which request was granted.

Furs of Integrity.

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SANTA FE TRAIN DERAILED.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 12.—Northbound Santa Fe passenger No. 18 was derailed while passing Seward, eight miles south of here, at 6 o'clock tonight. The mail, baggage and express cars, smoker and day coach went in the ditch. No one was seriously hurt. One passenger sustained internal injuries. The train was running slowly when it left the track, which was badly torn up. Traffic will be tied up until tomorrow.

BAIL IS INCREASED.

Indicted Insurance Officials Must Hustle Larger Bond.

New York, Dec. 12.—The bail of Frederick A. Burnham, president of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company, and George D. Eldridge, vice president of the company, both of whom are under indictment on charges of forgery and larceny, was increased by Justice Greenbaum in the supreme court today.

Burnham's bail was fixed at \$30,000, and that of Eldridge at \$15,000. Both gave the bonds required.

Hitherto both had been held in \$12,500 bail. The action was taken on request of the district attorney, following the conviction yesterday of George Burnham, jr.

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